

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Modak et al  
Serial. No: 10/633,204 Examiner: Choi, Frank I  
Filed: July 30, 2003 Group Art Unit: 1616  
For: COMBINATIONS OF ANTISEPTIC AND ANTIBIOTIC AGENTS  
THAT INHIBIT THE DEVELOPMENT OF RESISTANT  
MICROORGANISMS

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated June 7, 2006, applicants submit the present amendment accompanied by a request for a two-month extension of time with the appropriate fee of \$450.00 for large entity status, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2), to be charged to our Deposit Account no. 02-4377. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.